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Applicant(s) hereby request an extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated March 25, 2005 (and Advisory Action mailed July 1, 2005. This one (1) month extension will extend the due date from June 25, 2005 to July 25, 2005. An appropriate response in the form of a Request for Continued Examination is enclosed herewith.

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